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TO: Core Data Screen 3 Contacts: Assessment, Core Data, Curriculum, Guidance, MOSIS, Technology; Principals; MOSIS Listserv

DATE: July 25, 2011

SUBJECT: Important Message: Release of Performance Data

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

- * Preliminary MAP data available to schools
- * AYP Status Notification
- * State Assessment Appeals

Dear School Administrators,

The Department of Elementary and Secondary Education is pleased to announce the preliminary student performance data from the Missouri Assessment Program are now available in the secure side of the Missouri Comprehensive Data System. This information is for your advance review and action. This information will not be available to the public side of the data portal until Aug. 4 (not Aug. 3).

Please see the following Administrative Memos concerning the release of preliminary 2010-11 MAP data, Adequate Yearly Progress notification (action required), and guidance for state assessment repeals.

Administrative Memo QS-11-005

Notification of Preliminary School and District/LEA Improvement Status and Required Action

Link: <<http://dese.mo.gov/am/qs/documents/QS-11-005.pdf>>

This memorandum from the Office of Quality Schools provides notification information for Adequate Yearly Progress status and action required.

Administrative Memo DSM-11-004

State Assessment Appeals

Link: <<http://dese.mo.gov/am/dsm/documents/DSM-11-004.pdf>>

This memorandum from the Office of Data Systems Management clarifies the procedures, timeline and type of appeal opportunities that exist for the Missouri Assessment Program.

The 2010-11 Understanding Your AYP is available at:

<<http://www.dese.mo.gov/qs/documents/qs-si-understanding-your-ayp.pdf>>

Instructions for accessing secure content from the MCDS portal is available at:
<<http://dese.mo.gov/dsm/documents/instructions-mcgs-secured.pdf>>

As indicated above, the anticipated release schedule has been slightly revised. See Administrative Memorandum LS-11-004.
<<http://www.dese.mo.gov/am/documents/LS-11-004.pdf>>

If you have any questions, please see the contact information on the respective Administrative Memos.

P.S. School districts participating in the Student Growth Pilot Project will individually receive their preliminary growth data in about two weeks, approximately Aug. 8th.